

CARR-823

NOAH F. EBAUGH HOUSE (site)

circa 1830's

Hampstead vicinity

private

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1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Noah F. Ebaugh House (site)

and/or common

2. Location

street & number 3322 Shiloh Road not for publicationcity, town Hampstead X vicinity of congressional district Sixthstate Maryland county Carroll

3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use
<u> </u> district	<u> </u> public	<u> </u> occupied	<u> </u> agriculture
<u> </u> building(s)	<u>X</u> private	<u>X</u> unoccupied	<u> </u> commercial
<u> </u> structure	<u> </u> both	<u> </u> work in progress	<u> </u> educational
<u>X</u> site	Public Acquisition	Accessible	<u>X</u> private residence
<u> </u> object	<u> </u> in process	<u> </u> yes: restricted	<u> </u> entertainment
	<u> </u> being considered	<u> </u> yes: unrestricted	<u> </u> government
	<u>X</u> not applicable	<u>X</u> no	<u> </u> industrial
			<u> </u> military
			<u> </u> museum
			<u> </u> park
			<u> </u> religious
			<u> </u> scientific
			<u> </u> transportation
			<u> </u> other:

4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name Dorothy Walshstreet & number 3300 Carrollton Road telephone no.: 374-4865city, town Hampstead state and zip code Maryland 21074

5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. Carroll County Courthouse Annex liber 793street & number 55 Court Street folio 550city, town Westminster state MD

6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title NONEdate federal state county localdepository for survey records city, town state

7. Description

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Condition		Check one	Check one
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input type="checkbox"/> original site
<input type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved date of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

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The Ebaugh Log House stood on the slope of a small valley along Indian Run in the Hampstead District of Carroll County. The house stood on a site of gently sloping land that is approximately 100 feet northwest of a ranch style house that was built in 1984 and now stands on the property. The log house was sited with the main facade facing east and the slope on the west side provided for a ground level cellar entrance on the west elevation.

The house was originally constructed circa 1830s as a one story, three bay by one bay, 18 by 24 foot log structure with a two room plan. The interior contained a log partition wall that divided a two room plan with the north room being 7 by 18 feet with the fireplace on the north gable wall. The original fireplace opening in the log wall was 7'7" wide, which was reduced when the current fireplace of a 5' width was constructed. The original stair location was the southeast corner of the structure. The corner stair was located at the northeast corner of the structure when the fireplace was reduced to a smaller size.

The house was increased in height before 1886 to a one and three-quarter story structure. This can be seen in the change in the notch type of the logs which is V-notched on the original section and square-notched on the upper section and by the notches for rafters at the original plates. The interior also shows this change by the use of split lathe on the first story and machine-cut lathe on the upper section. Other changes to the house included construction of a 11 by 15 foot frame addition forming an L-shaped plan and application of abestos shingles over the original weatherboard siding.

The structure had a gable roof originally covered with shingles and later with sheet metal. The original rafters were hewn with shaped ends and pegged at the peak. The interior rooms were originally plastered and whitewashed; the ceiling floor joists and underside of the second story floor joists were also whitewashed. The window and door trim had plain board casings. The structure was on a fieldstone foundation.

8. Significance

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Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

Specific dates

Builder/Architect

check: Applicable Criteria: ☐ A ☐ B ☒ C ☐ D
and/or

Applicable Exception: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G

Level of Significance: ☐ national ☐ state ☐ local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

The Ebaugh Log House was constructed circa 1830s and contained a number of 19th century alterations. The structure illustrated the technology and type of middle-class log houses of this time period. The property was part of Henry Ebaugh's estate in 1827 and the lot was inherited by his son John K. Ebaugh. Noah F. Ebaugh lived in the log house until the 1880s. The house was dismantled for reconstruction by John L. Manwaring in May 1985.

The property of the Ebaugh Log House was part of Henry Ebaugh's estate in 1827. Henry Ebaugh had resurveyed the land that he inherited from his father, John Jacob Ebaugh, consisting of 346 ½ acres in 1797 and renamed the tract "Henry Ebaugh's Resurvey." After his death in 1827, his home farm which included a mansion, grist mill and farm outbuildings, was divided among his heirs. Lot Number 5, which is the location of the Ebaugh Log House was inherited by John K. Ebaugh. A plat in the Baltimore County Land Records show the lots and improvements of the home farm and Lot Number 5 does not show any improvements.

A genealogy of the Ebaugh family, John Jacob Ebaugh--History of a Maryland Family, contains limited information about John K. Ebaugh. It states: "No record of his birth, baptism, marriage or death was found; but he was married to a lady whose first name was Ruth. Union Church of Manchester recorded four of their children as follows: Andrew Lewis Ebaugh, born 4/22/1821; baptized 6/14/1821. Susanna Ebaugh, born 8/2/1822; baptized 11/24/1822. Heturah Ebaugh, born 7/25/1824; baptized 10/23/1824. Elizabeth Ebaugh, born 4/15/1827; baptized 7/29/1827. He was living 2/1/1845 when he and his brothers Jacob, Conrad, Henry, David and Adam sold some property in Hampstead to Joshua Tipton, recorded Westminster (Carroll Co.) Courthouse. Not traced further."

Noah F. Ebaugh received the property in 1845 from Susannah Ebaugh. In 1886, the property was sold from Noah F. Ebaugh out of Equity Court Case #2419. The September 29, 1886 edition of the Democratic Advocate contains a sale bill describing the improvements as a two story log house, small bank barn and other buildings.

In 1889, the property was purchased by the Derr family and was in the family's ownership until 1963. The house was a tenant property of the Walsh family and in 1984 they had a modern ranch style house built for the tenants, the M.R. Rill family. John L. Manwaring dismantled the log structure in May 1985.

9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No. CARR-823

Ebaugh, John Lynn. John Jacob Ebaugh-History of a Maryland Family. Balt., Md.-Autho
1941. Land Recors of Carroll and Baltimore Counties; Carroll Count Equity Court Records;
The Democratic Advocate, September 29, 1886

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property _____

Quadrangle name _____

Quadrangle scale _____

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

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Verbal boundary description and justification

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
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state	code	county	code
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11. Form Prepared By

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organization Carroll County Dept. of Planning & Development date June 1985

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city or town Westminster state Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by
an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated
Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

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2. Carroll County, Maryland
3. Joe Getty
4. April 1985
5. Md. Hist. Trust, Annapolis, Md.
6. east and north elevation



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6. logs at half-story



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6. interior fireplace